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In response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2007, please enter the present amendment and consider the following remarks.